North Scott Educational Foundation

Help us build a growing and lasting foundation for our youth.

An independent educational foundation for our school district . . .

What is it?

A Foundation provides an opportunity for individuals and organizations to contribute to a fund for the purpose of enriching education in the community, strengthening local control of schools, and responding to the needs of the schools. It is a community effort to provide significant funds for our most cherished natural resource: our children.

How will my contributions be used?

Your gift will provide services and equipment for the North Scott Community School District that are not provided for in the budget. Some uses for the foundation money are:

- Educational trips
- Special interest projects
  - History Fair
  - Writing Center
  - State and National Contests
  - Science Fair
- Grants to classroom projects
- Special equipment purchases
- Research and development projects
- Guest lecturers

Why is it necessary?

The Foundation serves as a supplemental source of income for the school district. It serves as a way for citizens to become partners with the schools in enriching the educational programs and activities of the district.

How can I give?

An Educational Foundation presents many opportunities for contributions which can be adapted to suit a variety of needs. While the Foundation prefers unrestricted gifts, it is prepared to gladly accept gifts for particular purposes as long as they are consistent with Foundation policies. You might also choose to help build the Foundation's Endowment Fund in any of the following ways:

Annual Scholarships: You, your company or organization may designate an amount to be awarded each year to students. These scholarships can also be endowed.

Bequest in a Will: A gift to the Foundation through an individual's will is welcome so that both the wishes of the donor and the needs of the district are best satisfied.

Gifts of Property: When a gift of property is contemplated, the donor and his or her attorney are requested to contact the Foundation.

Insurance: Through the purchase of a life insurance policy, a donor may make small payments over a period of time toward a significant sum that will later be paid to the Foundation.

Matching Gifts: Many corporations today encourage their employees to support educational institutions by sponsoring company "matching gift programs". Your gift can be doubled or tripled in size.

Memorial Gifts: Many individuals have provided gifts to the Foundation in memory of loved ones.

Non-Monetary Gifts: Books, securities, plants, trees and computers are a few items which you might consider.

Outright Gifts or Pledges: There may be a particular project which you prefer to support. You might also choose to help build the Foundation's Endowment Fund.

Trust Vehicle: This fund perpetuates the integrity of a gift for a specific purpose without the donor's needing to take the initiative of setting up a trust in a bank.

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